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1. APPRECIATE DEPT'S THOUGHTFUL REFTEL ON TARTAGLIA PROGRAMMING. BIO DATA FOLLOWS HERE WITH APOLOGIES FOR INCONVENIENCE TO CU. OUR HEAVY WORK LOAD, LACK OF DEPT REPLY TO OUR INITIAL REQUEST AND CHANGES IN COMPOSITION OF DELEGATION ALL CONSPIRED TO DELAY BIO DATA. TARTAGLIA GROUP ONLY NOW ABLE TO PROVIDE LODGING AND FLIGHT INFORMATION BELOW SINCE IT AWAITED DEPT REPLY BEFORE MAKING FIRM PLANS. TRAVELLERS HAVE FROM OUTSET STATED THAT THEY WILL PROVIDE OWN TRANSPORTATION.

2. WE SHALL BE HAPPY INCLUDE TEXT TAG IN FUTURE BUT WOULD NOTE THAT DELAY IN DISTRIBUTION OUR 809 APPARENTLY DUE TO OTHER COMMUNICATIONS FACTORS AFFECTING ENTIRE DEPT SINCE BOTH CU AND EUR/WE EXPLICITLY INCLUDED AS ADDRESSEES.

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NEW YORK AT 1535. DOES NOT YET HAVE TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS NEW YORK-WASHINGTON NOR KNOW HOTEL ACCOMODATION. NEW YORK CONTACT DR. SERPELLONI OF THE ITALIAN CONSULATE, WASHINGTON CONTACT MRS. ZUCCARO OF THE ITALIAN EMBASSY.

4. PROF. ANGELO CALOJA, HEAD OF DELEGATION, WAS BORN

IN MILAN IN 1939 AND TEACHES ECONOMICS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF TURIN AND AT THE CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY IN MILAN. AT 18 HE ENTERED THE DC YOUTH MOVEMENT AND IN 1960 BECAME MAYOR OF CASTANO PRIMO, A SMALL CITY NEAR MILAN. ONE OF ITALY'S YOUNGEST MAYORS, HE HELD HIS OFFICE UNTIL 1970. HE IS MARRIED TO AN ENGLISH WOMAN AND STUDIED ECONOMICS IN THE UNITED STATES. HE IS NOW DC LOMBARDY REGIONAL VICE SECRETARY. CALOJA IS BRIGHT, OPEN YOUNG LEADER AND SAID TO BE EXCELLENT PROFESSOR OF ECONOMICS. HE SPEAKS VERY GOOD ENGLISH.

5. DR. MARCELLO DI TONDO WAS BORN IN COLLEFERRO OUTSIDE ROME IN 1941. HE ENTERED DC YOUTH MOVEMENT AT 18. FROM 1962 TO 1966 HE WAS DC REGIONAL YOUTH DELEGATE FOR PIEMONTE AS WELL AS MEMBER OF NATIONAL YOUTH COMMITTEE. MEANWHILE HE GRADUATED IN LAW. IN 1975 HE WAS ELECTED CITY COUNCILMAN IN SEGRATE OUTSIDE MILAN AND FOLLOWING YEAR HE ALSO BECAME MEMBER OF DC LOMBARDY REGIONAL COMMITTEE. IN 1977 DI TONDO WAS APPOINTED EDITOR OF DC MILAN WEEKLY IL POPOLO LOMBARDO. HE IS ALSO SECRETARY GENERAL OF ITALIAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE FOR CHINA (PRC), ORGANIZATION SPONSORED BY DC MINISTER FOR MPOSTS AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS VITTORINO COLOMBO. DI TONDO IS CLOSE FRIEND OF COLOMBO, FACT WHICH MAY CONTRIBUTE TO HIS NOW BEING RESPONSIBLE WITHIN PARTY FOR ALL NEW PRIVATE RADIO AND TV STATIONS CONNECTED WITH DC IN LOMBARDY. DI TONDO, MARRIED
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WITH ONE DAUGHTER, HAS JUST RETURNED FROM TRIP TO PRC BUT HAS NEVER VISITED UNITED STATES. HE SPEAKS SOME ENGLISH.

6. GIANSTEFANO FRIGERIO, BORN DECEMBER 4, 1939, NEAR MILAN, HOLDS A DEGREE IN ANCIENT LITERATURE FROM CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY IN MILAN. HE ALSO STUDIED LAW AND HUMAN RELATIONS AT SAME UNIVERSITY. THIS PART OF DC LEFT WING BASE FACTION AND ALLIED THEREFORE WITHIN MILAN PARTY WITH FIGURES LIKE NEWLY-ELECTED DEPUTY PIERO BASSETTI AND REGIONAL PRESIDENT CESARE GOLFARI. BASE FACTION GENERALLY FAVORS CLOSER COLLABORATION WITH COMMUNISTS THAN DO MORE CONSERVATIVE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATS. FROM 1966 TO 1968, FRIGERIO WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR YOUTH MOVEMENT FOR GROUP OF SMALL TOWNSHIPS OUTSIDE MILAN. IN 1970 HE BECAME PARTY SECRETARY BOTH FOR THIS SECTION AND FOR HIS HOME TOWN OF CERNUSCO SUL NAVIGLIO. FROM DECEMBER 1968 UNTIL MARCH 1974,

FRIGERIO WAS MEMBER OF MILAN DC PARTY COMMITTEE AND THE FOLLOWING YEAR HE ALSO BECAME MANAGER OF THE PARTY TRAINING OFFICE. FROM 1970 TO 1974 HE WAS DC GROUP LEADER IN THE MILAN PROVINCIAL COUNCIL. IN MARCH 1974 HE WAS ELECTED MILAN DC PROVINCIAL SECRETARY, AN OFFICE WHICH HE HELD UNTIL LATE 1976. SINCE NOVEMBER 1964 FRIGERIO HAS BEEN MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL OF CERNUSCO SUL NAVIGLIO AND IS CURRENTLY IN CHARGE OF URBAN PLANNING AND LABOR PROBLEMS. HE HAS ALSO BEEN ON BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF LA SCALA IN MILAN SINCE 1972. FRIGERIO HAS TAKEN KEEN INTEREST IN HEALTH PROBLEMS. SINCE APRIL 1971 HE HAS BEEN PRESIDENT OF LOCAL HOSPITAL IN CERNUSCO SUL NAVIGLIO (OSPEDALE UBOLDO), 445-BEDSHOSPITAL WHICH IS DESTINED TO BE ENLARGED (TO 745 BEDS) AND BE TAKEN OVER BY PROVINCE. FRIGERIO IS ALSO VICE PRESIDENT OF LOMBARDY HOSPITAL ASSOCIA-
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TION AND, SINCE NOVEMBER 1975, VICE PRESIDENT OF ITALIAN FEDERATION OF REGIONAL HOSPITALS. FRIGERIO IS MARRIED TO FORMER MILENA MAGATTI, THREE YEARS HIS JUNIOR AND FROM SAME HOME TOWN. HE SPEAKS VERY LITTLE ENGLISH.

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7. DR. MAURIZIO MAFFEIS, BORN IN MILAN IN 1939, IS

CONSIDERED ECONOMIC EXPERT IN DC, OF WHICH HE HAS BEEN MEMBER FOR FIVE YEARS. A BACHELOR, MAFFEIS IS PRESIDENT OF SEA VIAGGI, A MUNICIPAL FIRM THAT IS BRANCH OF MILAN AIRPORT AUTHORITY (SEA), AND CONTROLLER OF INSTITUTE FOR PUBLIC HOUSING.

8. DR. ROBERTO MONGINI, MILAN LAW SCHOOL GRADUATE, WAS BORN IN 1945 AND ENTERED DC YOUTH MOVEMENT WHILE AT UNIVERSITY. HE IS MEMBER OF DC MILAN CITY COMMITTEE AND WAS RECENTLY ELECTED HEAD OF MILAN DC POLITICAL SECRETARIAT. HE IS ALSO CITY COUNCILMAN IN SEGRATE, SMALL TOWN ON MILAN OUTSKIRTS. SINCE 1971 HE HAS BEEN ASSISTANT PROFESSOR AT THE MILAN LAW SCHOOL. MONGINI IS MARRIED, HAS TWO CHILDREN AND DOES NOT SPEAK ENGLISH. THIS WILL BE HIS FIRST VISIT TO U.S.

9. ARCH. FILIPPO TARTAGLIA, BORN IN MILAN IN 1938, IS A GRADUATE OF POLYTECHNIC OF MILAN (ARCHITECTURAL SCHOOL) WHO ENTERED DC IN 1967. FROM 1970 TO 1975 HE WAS MEMBER OF CITY EXECUTIVE OF CASTANO PRIMO RESPONSIBLE FOR URBAN AFFAIRS, AND FROM 1974 TO 1976 HE WAS ALSO RESPONSIBLE FOR DC MILAN PROVINCIAL UNCLASSIFIED

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SCHOOL OFFICE. IN 1977 HE WAS APPOINTED PRESIDENT OF BRERA ART ACADEMY. HE IS ALSO BOARD MEMBER OF POLYTECHNIC SCHOOL OF MILAN, WHERE HE TEACHES. IN JANUARY 1977 TARTAGLIA WAS ELECTED DC MILAN PROVINCIAL ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY, OFFICE HE STILL HOLDS. MARRIED, WITH A SON, TARTAGLIA HAS TRAVELLED IN NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA. HE DOES NOT SPEAK ENGLISH.

10. RAG. VIRGILIO SIRONI WAS BORN IN MONZA NEAR MILAN IN 1939 AND BECAME MEMBER OF DC IN HIS MID-TWENTIES. FROM 1968 UNTIL 1976 HE WAS DC CITY SECRETARY IN MONZA AND FROM 1972 TO 1974 WAS RESPONSIBLE THEREIN FOR PRESS AND PROGPAGANDA OFFICE (SPES). IN 1974 HE WAS ELECTED PROVINCIAL VICE ADMINIS-TRATIVE SECRETARY, OFFICE HE HELD UNTIL LAST YEAR. HE IS NOW PRESIDENT OF MONZA HOSPITAL. SIRONI, WHO HOLDS BA IN ACCOUNTING, WORKS IN HIS FATHER'S BUSINESS. HE IS MARRIED, HAS TWO CHILDREN, AND HAS LAREADY VISITED US AS PART OF A DELEGATION.FINA

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